IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UPEN A. PANDYA and MADHURI U. PANDYA, individually and as husband and wife, and PURVA U. PANDYA, individually, and VEER U. PANDYA, individually,

Plaintiffs,

v.

MILAN KORMAN and
TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES
COMPANY and
TCV, INC., t/d/b/a TRIPLE CROWN
SERVICES, a/k/a
TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES
COMPANY, and
TRANSWORKS, INC. t/d/b/a
TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES, a/k/a
TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES
COMPANY, and
TCS LEASING, INC. t/d/b/a
TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES
COMPANY, and
TCS LEASING, INC. t/d/b/a
TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES, a/k/a
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TRIPLE CROWN SERVICES
COMPANY,

No. 5:14-cv-02304-JLS

CIVIL ACTION - AT LAW

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

Defendants.

<u>DEFENDANTS' ANSWER WITH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES,</u> AND JURY DEMAND TO PLAINTIFFS' AMENDED COMPLAINT

Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company and TCS Leasing, Inc., by and through their attorneys, Rawle &

Henderson LLP, hereby Answers the Plaintiffs' Amended Complaint upon information and belief as follows:

- 1. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 1 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 1 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 2. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 2 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 2 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 3. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averment contained in paragraph 3 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.
- 4. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averment contained in paragraph 4 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.

- 5. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averment contained in paragraph 5 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.
- 6. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averment contained in paragraph 6 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.
 - 7. Admitted upon information and belief.
 - 8. Admitted.
- 9. Denied as stated. Defendant Triple Crown is a Delaware general partnership. The two partners of Triple Crown are TCV, Inc., and Transworks, Inc. TCV, Inc. is incorporated in the State of Delaware and its principal place of business is the Commonwealth of Virginia. Transworks, Inc. is incorporated in the Commonwealth of Virginia and its principal place of business is in the Commonwealth of Virginia.
- 10. Admitted in Part. Denied in Part. It is admitted that Defendant TCS Leasing, Inc. is an Oklahoma corporation. By way of further response, the remaining averments contained in paragraph 10 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 11. Denied as stated. Defendant Triple Crown is a Delaware general partnership. The two partners of Triple Crown are TCV, Inc., and Transworks, Inc. TCV, Inc. is incorporated in the State of Delaware and its principal place of business is the Commonwealth of Virginia. Transworks, Inc. is incorporated in the Commonwealth of Virginia and its principal place of business is in the Commonwealth of Virginia.
- 12. Defendants, Triple Crown Services Company, TCV, Inc., TCS Leasing, Inc., and Transworks, Inc. are hereinafter referred to as entities which are separate and distinct.
- 13. Paragraphs 1 through 12 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein as though fully set forth at length.
- 14. Denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 14 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 14 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.
- 15. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown

Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. By way of further response, after reasonable investigation, defendants have insufficient knowledge or information which to form a belief as to the truth of the remaining averments contained in paragraph 15 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 15 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

16. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. By way of further response, after reasonable investigation, defendants have insufficient knowledge or information which to form a belief as to the truth of the remaining averments contained in paragraph 16 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 16 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain

conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 17. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averment contained in paragraph 18 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 18 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 18. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. By way of further response, after reasonable investigation, defendants have insufficient knowledge or information which to form a belief as to the truth of the remaining averments contained in paragraph 18 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 18 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 19. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, after reasonable investigation, defendants have insufficient knowledge or information which to form a belief as to the truth of the remaining averments contained in paragraph 19 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 19 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 20. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendant Korman acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 20 of plaintiffs' complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 20 of plaintiffs' complaint contain conclusions of law to

which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 21. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendant Korman acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 21 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 21 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 22. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 22 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 22 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of

law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 23. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 23 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 23 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 24. (a h) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 24 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 24 and its subparts of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 25. (a h) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants

have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 25 and its subparts of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 25 and its subparts of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 26. (a g) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 26 and its subparts of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 26 and its subparts of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 27. (a e) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 27 and its subparts of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 27 and its subparts of plaintiffs'

amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 28. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 28 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 28 plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 29. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 29 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 29 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 30. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averment contained in paragraph 30 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and

therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 30 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 31. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 31 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 31 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 32. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendant Milan acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 32 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 32 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 33. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 33 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 33 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 34. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 34 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 34 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 35. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 35 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 35 of plaintiffs' amended

complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 36. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 36 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 36 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 37. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 37 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 37 of plaintiffs' complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 38. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 38 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 38 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of

law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 39. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 39 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 39 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 40. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 40 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 40 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 41. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have

insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 41 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 41 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 42. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 42 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 42 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 43. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 43 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 43 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of

law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 44. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 44 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 44 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 45. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 45 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 45 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

COUNT I

- 46. Paragraphs 1 through 45 of Defendants Answer are incorporated herein by references as though fully set forth at length.
- 47. (a aa) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 47 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 47 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT II

48. Paragraphs 1 through 47 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as more fully set forth at length.

49. (a – o) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 49 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 49 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT III

- 50. Paragraphs 1 through 49 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 51. Admitted in part and denied in part. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the

tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 51 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 52. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 52 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 53. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 53 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain

conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

54. Denied. Plaintiff possesses no information to support these allegations and strict proof thereof is demanded at trial. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. It is specifically denied that Plaintiff is entitled to punitive damages. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 54 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT IV

- 55. Paragraphs 1 through 54 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 56. (a aa) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants

have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 56 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 56 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT V

- 57. Paragaphs 1 through 56 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 58. (a o) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 58 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT VI

- 59. Paragraphs 1 through 58 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 60. Admitted in part and denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 60 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 61. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 61 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 62. Admitted in part and denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 62 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 63. Denied. Plaintiff possesses no information to support these allegations and strict proof thereof is demanded at trial. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently or carelessly whatsoever. It is specifically denied that Plaintiff is entitled to punitive damages. By way of further response, the averments contained in

paragraph 63 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT VII

- 64. Paragraphs 1 through 63 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 65. (a-aa) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 65 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that

this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT VIII

- 66. Paragraphs 1 through 65 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 67. (a o) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 67 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT IX

- 68. Paragraphs 1 through 67 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 69. Admitted in part and denied in part. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 69 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 70. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 70 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 71. Admitted in part and denied in part. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the

tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 71 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

72. Denied. Plaintiff possesses no information to support these allegations and strict proof thereof is demanded at trial. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 72 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT X

- 73. Paragraphs 1 through 72 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 74. (a-aa) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 74 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT XI

- 75. Paragraphs 1 through 74 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 76. (a o) Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 76 and subparagraphs of

plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT XII

- 77. Paragraphs 1 through 76 are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length.
- 78. Admitted in part and denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 78 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 79. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 79 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 80. Admitted in part and denied in part. It is admitted only that Milan Korman was an independent owner operator and was operating a motor vehicle on or about May 25, 2012. Milan Korman owned the tractor and Triple Crown Services Company owned the trailer. It is further admitted that Milan Korman was operating the tractor-trailer under the authority provided to Triple Crown Services Company. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 80 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.
- 81. Denied. Plaintiff possesses no information to support these allegations and strict proof thereof is demanded at trial. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently, or carelessly whatsoever. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 81 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which

no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

COUNT XII

- 82. Paragraphs 1 through 81 of Defendants' Answer are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth at length
- 83. Denied. It is specifically denied that Defendants acted negligently, willfully, wantonly, recklessly, grossly negligently, or carelessly whatsoever. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 83 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 83 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

- 84. (a k) Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 84 and subparagraphs of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.
- 85. Denied. Defendants have insufficient knowledge or information upon which to form a belief as to the truth of the averments contained in paragraph 85 of plaintiffs' amended complaint and therefore, said averments are denied.
- 86. Denied. By way of further response, the averments contained in paragraph 86 of plaintiffs' amended complaint contain conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required and if they are deemed otherwise, they are denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs, and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

SEPARATE AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiffs' Amended Complaint fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

No omission or conduct on the part of the Defendants contributed to Plaintiffs' injuries and damages, if any.

THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The negligence of Plaintiffs either bars Plaintiffs' right to recover completely or reduces their claims based upon the extent of Plaintiffs' negligence under the doctrine of comparative negligence.

FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiffs' alleged accident was proximately caused, in whole or in part, by the fault of third parties for whom the defendants are not legally responsible.

FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiffs assumed the risk of any damages or injuries, and therefore, plaintiffs' claims are barred or limited.

SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiffs failed to mitigate their damages.

SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The damages complained of by Plaintiffs pre-existed or are unrelated to the accident.

EIGHTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiffs' alleged damages, if any, were the result of an unreasonable accident, sudden emergency, or Act of God.

NINTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Service of process was improper and/or insufficient.

TENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

This Honorable Court lacks jurisdiction over the defendants.

ELEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Venue is improper/inconvenient.

TWELFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiffs' claims against TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., and TCS Leasing,
Inc. are barred in whole or in part by the Graves Amendment, 49 U.S.C. § 30106.

WHEREFORE, Defendants, Milan Korman, TCV, Inc., Transworks, Inc., Triple Crown Services Company, and TCS Leasing, Inc., respectfully request that this Honorable Court dismiss Plaintiffs' Complaint with prejudice, deny the relief requested therein, grant judgment in favor of defendants and against the Plaintiffs,

and grant such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper.

REQUEST FOR JURY TRIAL

The defendants hereby request a trial by jury on all issues that are triable.

Respectfully submitted,

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